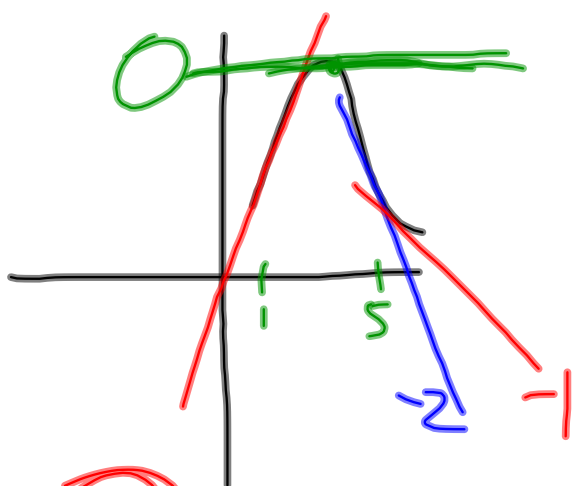


3.2) #1)

p177



$$f'(x_0) = \lim_{x_1 \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}{x_1 - x_0}$$

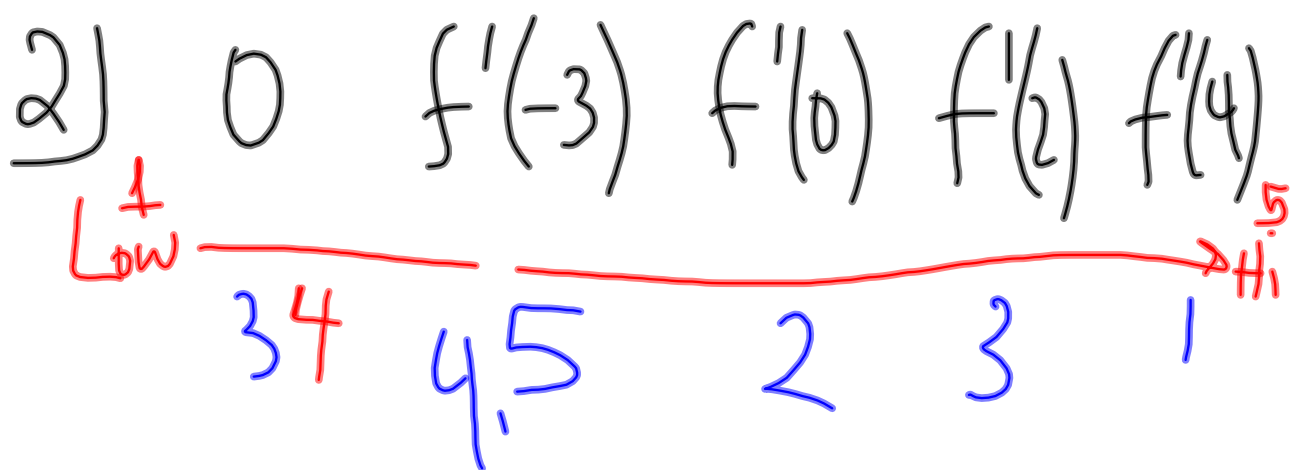
Est  $f'(1) \dots$

$$\frac{5.5 - .8}{2 - 0}$$

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roc  
(i.e.  
derivative  
with  
avg roc  
(i.e. slope))



3a) tangent line  $y = mx + b$   
 $y - f(a) = m(x - a)$   
through  $(a, f(a))$   
What is  $f'(a)$ ?

$f'(a) \equiv \text{SLOPE of tangent line}$

3b) tangent line to curve of  $f(x)$   
at  $(2, 5)$  is  $y = 3x - 1$ .

$$f'(2) = 3$$

$f'(3) = ?$  no idea



4) given that tangent line to  $f(x)$   
at  $(-1, 3)$  passes thru  
 $(0, 4)$ , find  $f'(-1)$

$$f'(-1) = \frac{3-4}{-1-0} = \frac{-1}{-1} = 1$$

4 better - find eq<sup>n</sup> of tan. line,

$$y - 3 = 1(x - (-1))$$

$$y = mx + b$$

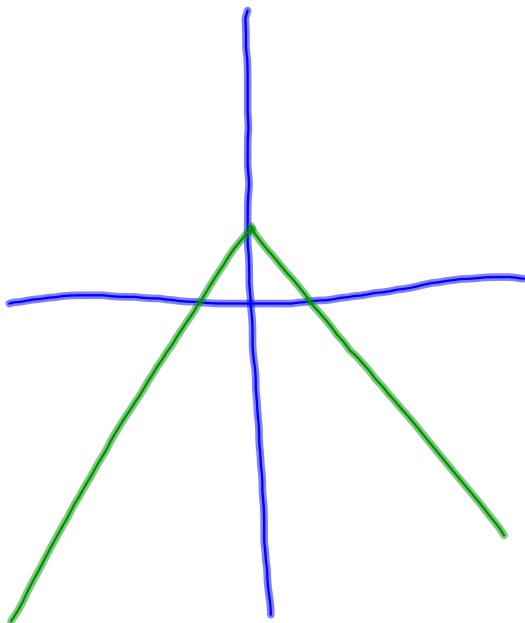
$$y = x + b$$

$$3 = -1 + b$$

$$b = 3 - (-1) = 4$$

$$y = x + 4$$

5) <sup>Sketch</sup> s.d. graph  $f(0)=1$  |  $f'(x) > 0$  when  $x < 0$   
 $f'(0)=0$  |  $f'(x) < 0$  when  $x > 0$



$$\text{inst roc of } f \text{ at } x_0 = \lim_{x_1 \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}{x_1 - x_0}$$

$$\text{deriv of } f \text{ at } x_0 = f'(x_0) \underset{\text{p177}}{=} \lim_{x_1 \rightarrow x_0} \frac{f(x_1) - f(x_0)}{x_1 - x_0}$$

$$f'(x) \underset{\text{p180}}{=} \lim_{w \rightarrow x} \frac{f(w) - f(x)}{w - x}$$

Notation

derivative of  $f(x)$

as a  $f'$

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x}$$

Feynman  
"Character of  
Physical Law"

$$f'(x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx}$$

"little inf ..... chg in y"

physics

..... other eng disciplines

y

"little infinitesimally  
small chg in x"

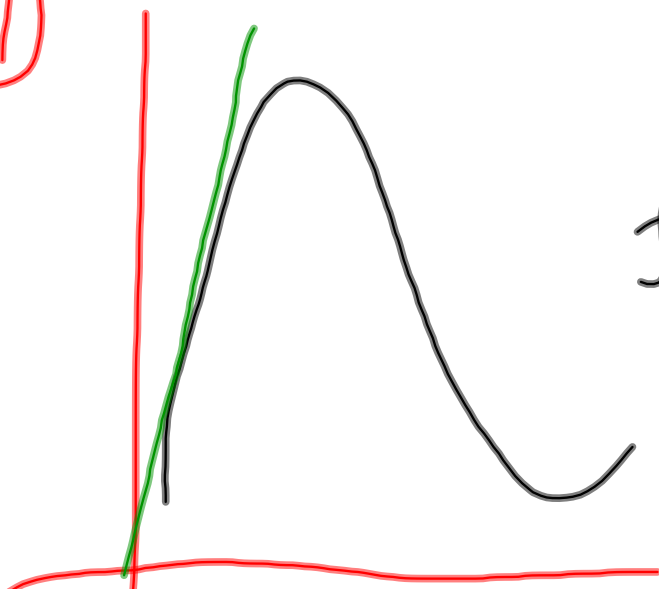
derivative of  $f(x)$  at  $x=a$

$$f'(a) \text{ or } \frac{dy}{dx} \Big|_{x=a}$$

∞

infinity sign

1)



p.177

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Est  $f'(1)$

$$\frac{5.5 - .8}{2 - 0}$$

$$= \frac{4.7}{2} \approx 2.35$$

SB: 2.66

AT: 2.5

Estimate  $f'(1)$

with average rate of change around 1

with slope of tangent line at  $x=1$

$$f'(3) = 0$$

$$f'(5) = -2$$

$$f'(6) = -1$$



2) 0  $f'(-3)$   $f'(0)$   $f'(2)$   $f'(4)$   
 $\swarrow$  ④ ⑤ ② ③ ①  $\searrow$

$f'(4)$   $f'(0)$   $f'(-3)$   $f'(2)$  0

0  $f'(2)$   $f'(4)$   $f'(0)$   $f'(-3)$   $f'(-3)$

3) you have an eq<sup>n</sup> of a tangent line at  $(a, f(a))$

e.g.

$$y - f(a) = m(x - a)$$

or

$$y = mx + b$$

how would you find  $f'(a)$ ?

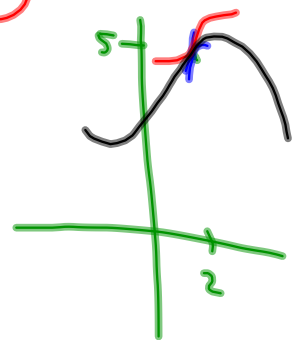
b) Given that tangent line to  $y = f(x)$  at  $(2, 5)$  has eq<sup>n</sup>  $y = 3x - 1$

(+c)

$$\text{find } f'(2) = 3$$

b\*: find  $f'(3)$

YOU FIND  $f'(3)$   
you don't know



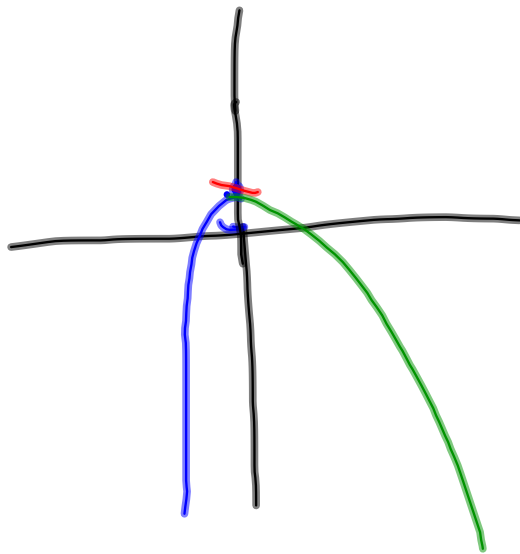
IIII) the tan line to the curve of  $f(x)$  at the pt  $(-1, 3)$  passes thru  $(0, 4)$ . Find  $f'(-1)$

$$\frac{4-3}{0-(-1)} = \frac{1}{1} = 1$$

V) S-a-g.  $f(0)=1$  |  $f'(x) < 0$  when  $x > 0$

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$f'(0)=0$  |  $f'(x) > 0$  when  $x < 0$



NOTATION

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p180

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